



Export Grants and Access to Capital:

AgriMarketing Program (now including market activities in the United States)

The AgriMarketing Program can support Small and Medium Sized Enterprises (SMEs) in implementing their international market export plans (now including market activities in United States) by providing up to \$50,000 non-repayable contribution. Eligible Applicants include SMEs operating in the agriculture, agri-food, and fish and seafood sectors who have fewer than 250 employees and annual sales not exceeding \$50 million. To view the full program guide for The Small and Medium-sized Enterprise (SME) component of the AgriMarketing Program's Market. Please contact:

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CanExport

On January 5, 2016, Minister Chrystia Freeland announced a new program to increase the competitiveness of Canadian companies. CanExport will provide up to \$50 million over five years in direct financial support to small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) in Canada seeking to develop new export opportunities, particularly in high-growth priority markets and sectors.

Delivered by the [Trade Commissioner Service](#) (TCS) of Global Affairs Canada, in partnership with the National Research Council Industrial Research Assistance Program (NRC-IRAP), CanExport provides financial support for a wide range of export marketing activities.

<http://international.gc.ca/canexport/index.aspx?lang=eng>

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Trade Protect

Export Development Canada announces new credit insurance: Trade Protect

Export Development Canada has announced its new credit insurance, Trade Protect, designed to help manage and reduce the risks that come with international trade. This is ideal for Canadian companies with a smaller number of international customers or for those testing the waters with a new customer.

<http://www.edc.ca/EN/Our-Solutions/Insurance/Credit-Insurance/Pages/credit-insurance-trade-protect.aspx>